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Held Meeting Monday—Herd By-law
Will Be Voted on in District

The Council of the Municipal District of Pine Lake, No. 339, met in the Secretary's office on Monday. Reeve Flske presided, and Secretary Truman and Councillors Darragh, Pixley, Hives, Ellenwood and Code were present.

The Re. Deer Municipal Hospital advised that Mrs. Jas. Leithead had been admitted to hospital as an emergency case on August 8th.

G.W. Goldstrom wrote in connection with the cheque for \$62.50 recently sent him by the Council in payment. For the piece of his land taken for a road on the N.E. of 31-35-26, W. 4th Mer. He stated that he felt he should be paid at least \$100.00, as the road cut off a corner of his land that was of no further use to him. The Council affirmed their previous figure and the Secretary was instructed to advise Mr. Goldstrom accordingly.

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A demand was presented, signed by 18 taxpayers of Division 3 asking for a vote on the herd-by-law in that division. The Council appointed Harry Wallace, Sr., and A. Weaver, Chris White, Sr., and A. Weaver, Deputy Returning Officers, and set Saturday, September 6th, as the date of the vote in the division. Polls will be held at the Fairlands and Clearwater school houses.

Owing to the fire, the hallstom having destroyed most of the crops in the district affected, it was decided to put the matter of the road to Tuttle over a year when it can be built along with a little extra road needed in that locality.

C. A. J. Sharman was present in connection with the ditch the municipality have across his farm and that of Adam White. He asked that as he was allowing them to drain off waters from the road allowance across his farm, the district should be

As there was no demand for a poll in Division 4 over the Head butler, it

The question of the Kaiser arbitrating the price to be paid him for a portion of the land taken for a road at the approach to the east

Owing to some troubles having arisen over the reading of brands by

A large number of accounts were passed for payment, and the meeting

then adjourned, to meet again at the
all of the chair.

DROWNING TRAGEDY

AT PINE LAKE

While bathing at Pine Lake on Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Magdalene Maye Conrad, wife of Earl Conrad, got into deep water, and although help was at hand, and she was quickly brought out, all efforts to resuscitate her failed.

brought out, all efforts to resuscitate her were unavailing. She had been in bathing with her husband, and as she was able to swim a little, it is thought that she either became frightened when she got into deep water and so gave up, without a

The bereaved husband was formerly with his father in control of a hotel at Crossfield, and when they were burnt out in the big fire there, they bought out the hotel at Pine Lake

known as the Sandy Cove Hotel, which has been successfully managed all summer under the name of J. P. Conard and Sons. He had only been married a few years, and a particularly sad feature of the present tragedy is

The parents of the dead woman live in Crossfield, and the body was taken to that town for interment, which took place on Monday afternoon.

The Conrads, father and sons, have made a host of friends in the district and among visitors to the Lake since they took over the Sandy Cove Hotel, and sincere sympathy will be shown them in their bereavement.

CONDOR NEWS

Our popular blacksmith, Mr. McCaul, has gone to the Coast, having sold his business to Mr. Mills lately.

Many of the Condor people attended the K. of P. dance at Hespero on Friday night, and report having had a

Mrs. H. Meeres, Sr., is enjoying a three weeks' visit to Winnipeg. Some of the Scottish immigrants who have lately arrived have settled round Condor, and are getting initi-

Mr. Prendergast has gone south for the harvest.
Mr. Scott Hastie has been under the weather with a touch of quinsy.
Stewart Meeres is now teaching at

Miss Scott, of the S.S.B., is around his district, instructing the lately arrived women immigrants in the mysteries of bread baking, canning, etc. The Boy Scouts spent a few days

scoutmaster Don Frost in charge.
A carload of cattle and a carload of
hogs were shipped from Condor last
week.
Miss Mast came back from summer

Mrs. McDougall, of Penhold, gave the Condor Ladies' Institute a very interesting address on Friday evening.

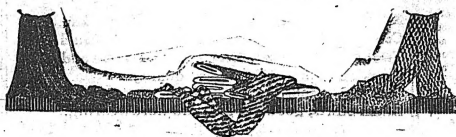


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Peaches

Are scarce this year. We expect Clings and Yellow St. Johns in this car; Crawford's and Elberta's will arrive a little later.

Ripe Tomatoes

Are plentiful and the price will be very reasonable. See that you get a few cases for canning.

Plums

Green Gages, Yellow, Red and Blue Plums will be plentiful; Prunes will be along later.

Apples

Duchess, Weathy's and Gravenstein's are some of the varieties which will be included in this car. There will be both crates and wrapped stock.

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Fine, light and medium weight Merino Work Socks; splendid wearing and washing socks; natural colors.
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Canvas Gloves, leather faced, at, per pair 50¢ and 85¢
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MEN'S WEARING APPAREL FOR THE HARVEST SEASON
The harvest season will soon be here, and you will surely need clothes that will stand good hard wear. We are now prepared to fill your harvest wants.

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Coats to match at \$1.95

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versible wringer. Regular \$68.00.		14 quart	\$1.75
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Sizes 8 to 10 1/2, per pair \$3.25
Sizes 11 to 2, per pair \$3.75

GIRLS' SOLID LEATHER SCHOOL BOOTS, \$3.25 Pair

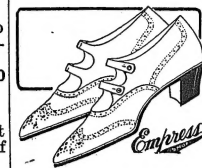
Sizes 11 to 2. A good strong boot made from good quality black box kip leather, medium weight solid leather soles and solid leather inner soles; a boot that will give real good wear.

"WILLIAMS" SOLID LEATHER SCHOOL BOOTS FOR GIRLS

Sizes 11 to 2. \$4.50 pair
They are in black kid, black or mahogany calf leather; made on neat lasts; have medium weight McKay sewed soles.

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Regular \$10.00
For \$3.95

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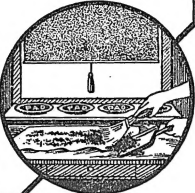
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IF THE ELECTION COMES

Last week we alluded to the rumors of a coming Dominion election. It is perhaps worth while to try to estimate from an impartial standpoint what are the probabilities with respect to the results of such an election if it comes.

At this distance it is not easy to gauge the situation in Eastern Canada, but there are certain general factors in it which may help to give a rough guide to anticipation. Provincial elections in Prince Edward Island and Quebec and bye-elections in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick indicate a distinct swing of the pendulum from the Liberal to the Conservative side. At the 1921 election the advantage lay with the Liberals in that the Conservatives had been for some time in power, had lost their tried leader, Sir Robert Borden, and were suffering from a certain lack of purpose and driving power, while they also had to bear the brunt of the collapse of the war boom and the general post-war discontent and restlessness. More over, Quebec was still burning with unholty indignation at having been compelled to do its duty in the war under the Conscription Act.

The wholesale defeat of the Conservatives under those circumstances was not surprising. Since then time has operated in favour of the Conservatives. Quebec, which is not really in favour of low tariffs and not anxious for excessively close relations with the United States, especially with regard to the St. Lawrence waterways scheme, is apparently inclined to waver in its support of the Liberal party. The Liberal tradition in Quebec is strong, but the chances seem to be that the Liberals will no longer have behind them a solid Quebec, and their majority may even be comparatively small.

In the Maritime Provinces bye-elections have gone against the Government. That need not mean very much, as bye-elections have a tendency

to go against governments of any party, so on the whole it looks as if success there will be divided.

Ontario will probably go decisively Conservative, chiefly on tariff grounds, but partly also because of a shrewd idea that while the Conservative leadership is commonplace, that of the Liberals is far more. That fact seems to be admitted privately even in thoroughly Liberal circles in the East.

In the Prairie Provinces the situation is more favourable to the Liberals. The Progressive or Farmers' Party is moving nearer to the Liberals and may for practical purposes be reckoned merely a wing of the Liberals. The separate group within the Progressives is not likely to increase. In fact, it would not be surprising to see it wiped out altogether and the Farmers' Party cease to count seriously in Dominion politics, though here and there outstanding individuals may retain their seats as Progressives. The Conservatives will perhaps gain something from the obviously anti-imperial tendencies of Mr. MacKenzie King, but it is a tariff and freight rate question which will dominate the election in the three Prairie Provinces, and until the Conservative party can find a means of reconciling the interests of East and West in one constructive policy, the Liberals are likely to hold an advantage throughout the Prairies.

British Columbia will probably be mainly Conservative. In the recent provincial elections there the Liberals obtained only about one-third of the total votes, though that was enough to give them a precarious hold on power. It seems fairly certain that the Provincial Party in British Columbia got most of its votes from the Conservatives and not from the Liberals, and the inference is that in British Columbia the Conservatives will win. The naval question is beginning to acquire increased importance on the Pacific Coast, and on that question there is no doubt as to the superiority of the Conservative policy from the Coast point of view.

On the whole, then, it seems as if the result of the election will turn, as it has turned before, on Quebec. Unless Quebec gives the Liberals a substantial majority, they are likely to be beaten, and Quebec's attitude is doubtful. Consideration of the position here in Alberta may be deferred till later.

THE POSITION OF AGRICULTURE

To the majority of people in Western Canada the question that dominates all others at the present time, and has done so for some years past, is the position of agriculture. Since the war boom broke, the depression in the farming industry has weighed

like a pall on the whole of Western Canada. It has cost us as a community a serious loss of population through emigration, which we are only now beginning to recover by renewed immigration, and it has meant to many individuals heart-breaking anxiety, disappointment and loss. It has been said that our farmers have had to work longer hours with more anxiety for poorer returns than any class in the community, and amongst the farmers themselves there has spread a feeling of something not unlike bitter resentment mingled with bewilderment at the position in which they have found themselves, and the apparent impossibility, even with the help of political power, of improving that position.

A recently published book on "The Agricultural Crisis" goes fully and carefully into the position of agriculture throughout the world, and some of the facts stated and suggestions made in it should be of interest to us in Western Canada.

It is shown that it is not only in Canada that the farmers have been suffering, but all over the world. In fact, in Great Britain and the United States the position is infinitely worse than in Canada. Further, it is made clear that it is not only the farming industry that has suffered from the collapse of the war boom, but practically all industries, manufacturing as well as agricultural. This is a fact which our farmers should note. It tells against the belief so widely spread among them that they alone are exploited at all times and prevented from sharing in general prosperity. They certainly shared in it during the war, and it cannot be a matter for complaint if they have to share in the depression which has followed the war. It is probably not the fact of the depression so much as the belief that they alone or more than all others have had to endure it that has so aggravated our farmers.

It is well for them to remember that merchants and manufacturers also have to face losses and anxieties, though as a rule the latter try to conceal such losses to protect their credit, while the farmers are inclined to be distinctly vocal about their difficulties.

Again, the main cause of the collapse of prices is shown to be the policy of deflation of the currency pursued by the United States and Great Britain alike. During the war a vast amount of fresh paper money was manufactured and put into circulation, the gold standard being virtually abandoned. The natural result was that money being much more plentiful, while goods were scarcer owing to the number of men withdrawn from industry to fight, the price of all goods, agricultural and manufactured, rose greatly. At the close of the war the British and United States governments both entered on a policy of deflation or reduction of the paper money in circulation with the natural result that less money being available, and, if anything, more goods, prices fell heavily. The farming industry, being the least organized, and, if it may be so expressed, the least complicated and the most open to observation, not only suffered probably more than other industries but was least prepared to meet the shock and least able to hide its difficulties. There have been fierce disputes among financial experts as to the wisdom or otherwise of the British and American policy, but the balance of opinion seems to be that while individuals have suffered heavily from it, the maintenance of general national credit and the curbing of wartime extravagance are results justifying the policy.

So far as a remedy is concerned, the suggestion is made that what would benefit the agricultural industry and other industries also—most of all would be the stabilization of prices, the prevention of swift, unexpected rises or falls. To achieve this purpose orderly marketing seems to be the chief need. It is just exactly this need which our organizations as the Wheat Pool are intended to meet, and it is very much to be hoped that not only will the existing Wheat Pools in Western Canada be extended and consolidated into a successful whole, but that the same principle will be wisely applied to other branches of

the agricultural industry. By such means agriculture may at least be brought onto a level in organization and prosperity with other industries throughout the country and the world.

THREE YEARS OF FARMERS' GOVERNMENT

It is now three years since the Farmers' Government came into power in Alberta, and it may be a suitable time to glance over their record very shortly.

There has been nothing very startling about the new Liberal Government. As we suggested recently, when the Farmers' Party won their decisive victory at the election, there was a certain amount of apprehension that they would use it to introduce radical changes in legislation and methods of government. The apprehension has not been justified. The Farmers' Government has not differed markedly from other governments in its policies.

The most notable piece of legislation which it has carried through has certainly been the new Liquor Act. As we suggested recently, this Act seems likely to be a success on the whole in spite of the needlessly introduced flaws in the shape of beer and club licenses. The Government cancelled claim credits for this Act, which was forced by popular demand on them against the openly stated principles of the Cabinet. Where the Government behaved well was in their obvious effort to obtain on impartial basis a fair plebiscite as to the merits of the new law. In the drafting of an Act which gave to the result of the plebiscite an interpretation even more unfavourable to the Government's own wishes than many citizens thought was demanded by that result, the Farmers' Government acted with an honesty which was characteristic and creditable, even though their draftsmanship of the famous clause "D" in the plebiscite cannot be commended for its clearness.

The Wheat Pool, another notable novelty introduced during the Government's regime, cannot be set down to their credit any more than the Liquor Act. The initiative in respect to the Wheat Pool came from the two leading Conservative papers in the Province, and the Government merely gave their moral support and blessing to a popular movement which they might well themselves have initiated, but which they lacked the driving force and constructive energy to start. Again the Government are entitled to a certain amount of credit for their friendly attitude to the Pool once it has come within sight of realization. There was no hint of petty jealousy because the Pool was not the result of their own work.

The land titles and mortgage legislation of the Government has not been good. They have made changes which have tended to impair the safety and simplicity of the Land Titles Act as it previously was. While trying to improve the credit of the farmers, they have actually made the getting of credit by them more difficult. This they have been compelled by force of circumstances more or less to recognize, and they would be well advised to put matters in this respect back onto a basis of clearness and certainty.

Minor laws in plenty have been passed, mostly in the direction of amendments to previously existing laws. There has not been anything of exceptional importance about these laws, and the only thing to be said about them is that the Government have been too ready to pass trifling laws or make trifling amendments without realizing that stability and certainty are more valuable qualities in the laws of a land than repeated changes made in the vain attempt to attain legal perfection.

In administration and finance the Government's chief and very serious shortcoming has been their failure to balance the budget and their reluctance to reduce the numbers of their paid officials. In respect of seasonal indemnities and the needlessly large numbers of the Legislature they have followed a weak and only too common policy.

The Government record, however, has not been by any means wholly bad. Its failures have been due in the main to lack of political vision and courage and to inexperience. To set against its failures it has had one shining merit at least, which may possibly be considered to outweigh all its defects. This has been its honesty. It is perfectly certain that if there had been any chance of impugning the honesty of the Government or any of its members, the Liberal Opposition would have seized upon it. There has been a notable absence of scandal or the suspicion of scandal in the Farmers' Administration, and at a time when scandals are all too many in Canadian politics, that fact should be noted to the infinite credit of the Government. It is one element of this honesty that has produced the freedom of criticism within the Farmers' Party in the Legislature. The unreal atmosphere of political machinery is not to any great extent present, and where it has intruded itself, the action of the Liberal Opposition rather than that of the Government may be fairly given the blame.

The road policy of the Government has been sound, and unless we are misinformed, the system of administration of road funds has been distinctly good and an improvement on that formerly in existence.

There has been little sign of special class legislation in the Government's programme. Naturally the interests

of farmers have received the bulk of attention but not to the intended detriment of other classes.

It seems doubtful whether the Farmers' Party is destined to remain a permanently distinctive factor in Canadian politics. It has suffered heavy reverses in other parts of Canada. Nevertheless, in Alberta its record is on the whole a creditable one. It only by reason of the atmosphere of honesty which it has breathed into political life. Party politics are not suitable or healthy in provincial government, and we could wish to see other interests and other views as well as the present ones represented in the Government, but in so far as they have made a sincere attempt to govern the Province honestly and fairly, the present Government deserve at least a measure of credit and support from the people of Alberta.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

From The News, August 18, 1909.

Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture for the Dominion of Canada, accompanied by Senator Talbot, Dr. M. Clark, M. P., and Dr. Campbell, M. P., visited Red Deer and addressed a large public meeting held in Waskasoo Park.

C. A. J. Sharrman's Jersey, Rosalind of Old Basing, was under tests by the Provincial Dairy Inspector, and was making Canadian records.

The late H. H. Gaetz had deeded to the city for a park the land at the rear of his residence extending to the river and easterly to Waskasoo Creek. The City Council named the park Gaetz Park in honor of the donor.

Frank VanSlyke had invented a breaking plough which all farmers pronounced a big improvement on any they had used.

TEN YEARS AGO

From The News, Aug. 19, 1914.

The annual Fair was in progress. The stock exhibits were good.

Japan was coming into the war on the side of the Allies.

The retail merchants of the city held a big excursion to Sylvan Lake over the A.C.R. three days after the line had been taken over by the C. P. R.

The City Council offered a 10 percent discount for payment of taxes by October 1st.

Burglars attempted to break into H. Stuber's jewelry store during the Fair, but were apparently disturbed before doing any damage.

Three months in jail was the sentence passed by Magistrate Hopewell of an Ottawa police court Wednesday morning on J. Albert Schryburt, former employee of the Indian statistics department, who was charged with obtaining \$4,000 by false pretences from Dr. Edmund Bourque, to whom he sold an option on the Hoppe coal leases in Alberta without any right to do so.

The nature of the proposals put forward by the minister, while Mr. Murrell was equally recalcitrant. The miners have now had two days in which to consider the proposition, and the fact that they have not yet communicated a decision is interpreted to mean that there are points on which they cannot agree. This augments the fear that there is no immediate settlement of the dispute near.

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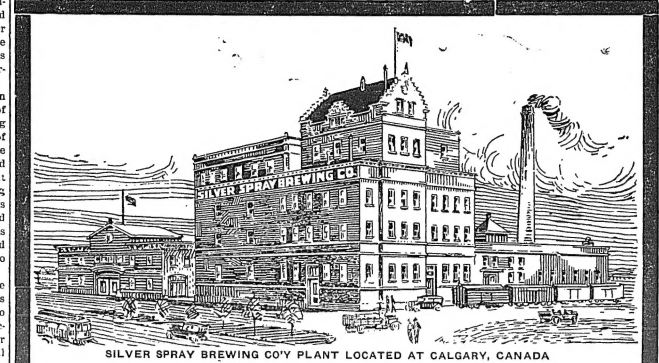
NO IMMEDIATE SETTLEMENT OF STRIKE IS NEAR

Calgary, Aug. 16.

In spite of strenuous efforts made by James Murrell, minister of labor, to effect a settlement of the miners' strike in District 18, there was last night no hope held out for an immediate end to the strike, following all day conferences between miners' officials and the cabinet minister. President William A. Sherman, chief of the strike committee conducting the negotiations, last night declined to discuss

the nature of the proposals put forward by the minister, while Mr. Murrell was equally recalcitrant. The miners have now had two days in which to consider the proposition, and the fact that they have not yet communicated a decision is interpreted to mean that there are points on which they cannot agree. This augments the fear that there is no immediate settlement of the dispute near.

Reports sent from the cruiser Tal- ight to the United States flyers in Iceland, that the harbor of Angmag- saalik in Greenland, which was to be the next stop of the flyers, is too small and filled with ice, make it probable that a new base will now be selected.



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RED DEER WINS CRICKET LEAGUE

The final game of the Central Al-
berta Cricket League was played at
Oids on Wednesday, resulting in a win
for Red Deer by a very narrow margin.
The game was keenly contested and
sides played to their toes all the time.
Oids had strengthened their team since
the last game, but were unable to
capture the necessary points to tie
with Red Deer for the League leader-
ship.

The Red Deer team batted first, but
with the exception of Stephenson and
Steward, were not able to do much
with the bowling. Seven men were
clean bowled and G. Botham had
four maiden over for his credit. Stephe-
nson was given out on a questionable
lbw decision, but to balance this one
of the Oids players was given out on
an even more questionable lbw decision.
The two Bothams, Alan and George,
did practically all the bowling. George
being the hardest to hit, although Alan
took the most wickets. Mr. Herbert
also did good work with the three balls
he delivered, taking one wicket for one
run.

With Red Deer all out for the small
score of 42, Oids went in confident of
winning. Our men, however, were on
the lookout for any chances in the
field, and took advantage of them
when they did come, catching four
men out and running out one. The
two Bothams again shone out as the
only men who could stand against the
Red Deer bowling. Alan made a nice
12 and George going in third wicket
down, carried out his bat for 14, being
the high score for the day. Lavender
and Stephenson did the bowling for
Red Deer, Harold having an especially
fine analysis, taking five wickets for
12 runs.

The individual scores were:—
Red Deer
W. G. Brown b A. Botham 3
A. A. Stenhouse b A. Botham 0
H. Lavender b G. Botham 4
A. H. Buck b A. Botham 7
A. T. Stephenson lbw A. Botham 12
P. E. Kent b G. Botham 0
W. Steward c & b A. Botham 6
F. Norris b G. Botham 0
A. G. Bullock c & b A. Botham 4
J. Potts b W. Herbert 2
A. Goodey not out 2
Extras 3

Bowling Overs Mds. Runs Wts
G. Botham 7 4 12 3
A. Botham 7 0 27 6
W. Herbert 0 3 0 1 1

Oids
A. Botham lbw Lavender 12
L. Jones run out 0
L. McDowell c Lavender b Stephen-
son 0
W. Herbert lbw Stephenson 0
G. Botham not out 14
H. Johnson b Lavender 3
B. Blackhurst b Lavender 5
A. Johnson b Lavender 0
M. Botham c Stephenson b Lavender 0
A. C. Bury c Stephenson 0
H. Samis c Morris b Stephenson 0
Extras 3

Bowling Overs Mds. Runs Wts
A. T. Stephenson 9 2 25 5
H. Lavender 12 5

UMPIRE'S INEXPERIENCE LOSES CRICKET GAME FOR OLDS

The Oids Gazette has the following
to say of the match.
Never in the history of the Oids
cricket club have they been so unfor-
tunate as to lose such an important
cricket game by decisions of an in-
experienced umpire, and yet no one must
blame him, as such jobs are generally
forced on a person, who generally is a
good enough sport to use what knowl-
edge of cricket he possesses to help
the boys. However, such was the case
on Wednesday afternoon last, when
the Red Deer cricket club journeyed
to Oids to play a first class fixture in
the northern section of the Calgary cricket
League. A win for Oids would have
equalled the points of the northern
ers, who hold the top rung of the
league's ladder, and another game
would have been made compulsory.
All the western popular games had
nothing on this game of cricket for
genuine excitement and suspense.
Red Deer batted first, and were all
out for the small total of 42 runs.
Oids sent in two very hard bats
(Jones and McDowell) to face the
bowling of Stephenson and Lavender.
The first disputed decision among the
Oids players was in the case of Jones,
who was called out after an appeal for
being run out, and the Oids team
doubted and still confirm that the Red
Deer wicket keeper crashed into the
wickets with his knees and did not
have possession of the ball. The next
dispute arose when Allan Botham was
given out lbw. This decision was a
staring error to all players and spec-
tators, who vigorously protested.
The batsman connected with a rising ball
with his left hand, and bore
marks of the contact for proof of the
error, but a Red Deer player stated
that he would take an umpire's de-
cision at any time. We have known
cricketers who have been given not-
out, and the batsman would correct
the umpire decision and walk to the
pavilion. The third unfavorable
decision was given by the Red Deer
official. On this occasion it was only
the batsman (Herbert) who protest-
ed. The three verdicts stated are
very important in cricket, and should
any doubt arise in the minds of the
umpires, the decision should always
be in favor of the batsman.

It was very unfortunate that Oids
lost the game in this unsatisfactory
manner, as any of the three decisions
mentioned could have comfortably
turned the defeat (by the narrow mar-
gin of two runs) into a walk-away
victory for the home side. The bowlers
of the Botham brothers was very

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effective. Their performance of van-
quishing the Red Deer team for 42
runs is a commendable feat. One
Botham was the hero at the bat for
Oids, and if we may criticize a little,
it is from an onlooker's standpoint,
and a help to our own local team.
We are of the decided opinion that
if a hit most generally by the cap-
tain had been manifested at the crucial
stage of the game, that victory
would have been accomplished. The
face of all apparent obstacles. For
instance, ten runs for a win, and the
last man at bat. Geo. Botham was
batting strong and well set, his
partner being H. A. Samis. The cap-
tain should have instructed his bro-
ther that there should be no single hits,
except in the last ball of the over,
when the reliable batsman, who was
playing the best game in his career,
would have changed ends, ready to
tackle the change bowler. If this
method had been adopted, we believe
Oids would have won the most de-
cisive and popular victory in the history
of the club.

BROWNLEE DENIES HE WILL RESIGN

Attorney-General Will Not Become
Head of Control Selling Agency.

While the rumor persists that J. E.
Brownlee, attorney-general of Al-
berta, has been offered the position of
general manager of the central sell-
ing agency of the three western wheat
pools, Mr. Brownlee himself denies it.
The attorney-general, when question-
ed on the long distance telephone as to
whether or not he would accept the po-
sition, seemed disinclined to dis-
cuss it, but finally said that the rumor
of his resignation from the govern-
ment to accept this new post of re-
sponsibility was not true.
Officials of the Alberta Wheat Pool
located in Calgary were also re-
ferring to the rumor, but conveyed the
impression in the replies to the
repeated questions that they doubted
its authenticity. It has been stated
that there are seven applications for
the position of general manager of
the agency, which is to be located at
Winnipeg, and that the announcement
of the name of the manager will be
made following a meeting of the board
of directors to take place at Regina on
Tuesday of next week.

Will Know Soon
"Interesting developments are sure
to take place in the next few days,"
said R. O. German, secretary of the
Alberta Wheat Pool, yesterday, refer-
ring to the matter. "At the present
time the agency is incorporated,
and until it has become so, does not
legally exist. Any announcements
made, therefore, concerning what it
will do as an organization are merely
rumors, and cannot be considered as
official since no one has the right to
issue authoritative statements con-
cerning it."
Regarding the capitalization of the
agency for \$25,000,000, Mr. German
said that the organization of the cen-
tral selling agency would undoubtedly
lessen the financial burden on the
three individual pools and would less-
en the overhead expense.

TROOPS GO TO TROUBLED SUDAN AREA

Cairo, Egypt, August 16.—No British
troops have yet been dispatched to
the Sudan, but a battalion of the
Argyle and Sutherland Highlanders,
stationed at Ismailia, is leaving to-
day for the Sudan.

London, August 16.—An official
communique has been issued by the
Egyptian government, according to
an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from
Cairo, stating that the Egyptian min-
ister to London has been instructed
to lodge a formal protest with the
London government against measures
taken in the Sudan.

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GORGES OF ALBERTA YIELD THEIR SECRETS

Days in Alberta when a huge inland
sea billowed and waved, and when
dinosaurs splashed about in the salty
marshes on its fringes were portrayed
by Professor W. A. Parks of the Uni-
versity of Toronto in the geology sec-
tion of the British Association for the
Advancement of Science meeting at
Toronto. Describing the geological
formation in which some fifteen of the
prehistoric monsters have been located
in the Red Deer valley of Alberta,
Prof. Parks told how rivers have cut
deep trenches through the western
plains, and slashed the prairie country
with gorges 300 to 400 feet in depth.
Each of them is virtually a gash
through the earth's crust in which
can be studied the rocks that compose
the upper 600 feet of its surface.

"From an examination of these
gorges, it is possible to reconstruct
the history of the time at which the
layers of rock were formed," Dr. Parks
said. "The climate of the time, the
state of lakes that existed, the animals
that roamed about the earth or swam
in the waters, are all indicated in the
clays, sands and other rocks of the cut
banks of the rivers, and it needs only
patient work to decipher the record and
to make alive again the conditions of
the far remote ages and the creatures
that inhabited the area."
The rocks exposed in the Red Deer
valley, which is one of these gorges,
are of the Paleocene and upper Cre-
taceous strata. They were laid down
when a great interior sea was making
its last stand on the continent, before
reassuming its retreat to the Gulf of
Mexico.

"At times sea, conditions prevailed
and the water was that of the open sea.
At other times, the waters were brack-

ish or even fresh.
"When this brackish water condition
prevailed, dinosaurs existed on the
land, in the marshes on the margin
and in the salty waters beyond." The
Dinosauria, a special race of reptiles,
were highly developed and lived in
large numbers, the scientist explained.
"Their skeletons are exposed in great
numbers up and down the Edmonton
and Belly river formations, so that this
region is one of the most prolific in
the world," he said.
Twenty-five expeditions have re-
sulted in the collecting of at least 120
major specimens, and a wealth of
fragmentary material.
Expeditions sent out from the Uni-
versity of Toronto have secured twelve
to fifteen major specimens, since the
end of the war. Eight have been
mounted in the galleries of the Royal
Ontario Museum, among them being
included some types which are new to
science.

EVARTS S.S. PICNIC

A very enjoyable picnic was held on
August 5, at a point on Sylvan Lake
known as the Lomp Landing. In the
early afternoon the people began to
arrive at the grounds. A fine pro-
gramme of sports was arranged in
which everyone heartily indulged.
Superintendent Orville McKee was di-
rector of ceremonies. The first item
was a game of baseball in which both
girls and boys took part. Mr. Burdick
acted as umpire. Nine innings were
played without much advantage to
either side. Then races for girls and
boys, women and men were scheduled,
which gave every person an opportu-
nity to win a prize. An amusing fea-
ture of the racing was the contende-
race in which three teams of four men
each were engaged. The rules of this

race are that each team should go to
the woods and secure a pole long
enough for the four men to ride upon.
They ride astride the pole holding it
with one hand and placing the other
hand on the shoulder of the man just
ahead; then the race began. This
was a very amusing race for everyone
except Mr. Holmworth, who lost a large
portion of his trousers on the end
of the pole.
Then there was the three-legged race
and the hat relay race. The latter was
engaged in by teams of four who were
required to run to each others' posts,
change hats and wear them to the end
of the lap.
Some of the older members, who
were in doubt as to who was the best
quilt player in the district, had a good
opportunity of settling the question
finally, though after the game was
over, no one was sure who was the
winner.

The swings were well patronized,
as well as boating and bathing. Then
a campfire was lighted at which ket-
tles were swung and a sumptuous re-
past concluded a "perfect day."

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BIG STRIKE AT WAINWRIGHT

Vancouver, B.C., August 16.—Completion of a new well at Wainwright, Alta., which will produce more than 500 barrels of oil a day, was announced by Newton W. Whymers, superintendent and geologist for British Petroleum, Limited, at last night's annual meeting of the company held here.

Coupled with this news in Mr. Whymers' report to shareholders was the statement that Sir Henry Thomson has advised the company that the Canadian National railway lines are prepared to take Wainwright oil for locomotive fuel if quality and production are satisfactory.

When the company completed its first 200 barrel well at Wainwright last fall the Canadian National railway switched from long term to short term contracts for coal. Developments in the Wainwright field this summer are expected to result in a definite decision by the railway to change its locomotives in Canada from coal to oil burners.

The body of the man found suspended in the bush near Chatham, Ont., was identified Wednesday as being that of Arthur Ramont, a Detroit Belgian, who a few days ago attacked and killed his wife with a razor.

Fire starting on Tuesday night in the plant of the Dwight Lumber Company at River Rouge, a suburb of Detroit, did damage to the extent of more than a million dollars.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given under Section 45 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that one dark brown mare, with white face and three white feet, about twelve years old, and weighing about 900 lbs., branded M with bar underneath, was impounded in the pound kept by F. K. Johnson, located on the N.W. 1/4, Sec. 25, Township 37, Range 1, W. of 5th, on the 25th day of July, 1924, and that the said animal was sold on the 18th day of August, 1924, to N. S. Johnson, of R. R. No. 1, Red Deer, and that said animal may be redeemed by the owner or on his behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the municipality and the purchaser of said animal.

For information apply to the undersigned.
A. McCASKILL, Secretary-Treasurer,
Municipal District of Golden West,
No. 371,
Post Office, Sylvan Lake.

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HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS

Favored with instructions from Mrs. W. A. Robinson, I will sell by Public Auction the furnished contents of her home at her residence in

NORTH RED DEER directly opposite the North end of Bridge, on

Saturday, Aug. 23 at 2.30 p.m.

The list includes: Princess Dresser, in oak, with 32x38 bevel plate mirror; Oak Dresser; Magnet Range, high cabinet and copper reservoir; whole Cook Stove; Quebec Heater; Royal Oak Heater; Base Burner; Kitchen Cabinet; Kitchen Table; Kitchen Chairs; Washing Machine; Writings; Parlor Table; Congoleum; Square Rug; Carpets; drop-head Singer Sewing Machine; Kitchen Utensils; Dishes; Earthen Butter Crocks and Churn; Jars; Quantity of Stove Pipes; Plants; Books; Electric Dome; Electric Light Globes, etc.

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WANTED—GIRL TO HELP WITH housework mornings. Apply Mrs. N. White, Michener Hill. Aug. 13, 11.

FOR SALE—CHESTERFIELD AND chairs, dining room suite, piano and kitchen range. Apply to Miss F. Lund, Ford Garage, or Phone 358. Aug. 15, 11.

FOR SALE—FIVE-ROOMED, SEMI-modern bungalow on Waskasoo Avenue. Only \$300 cash needed to handle. Good terms on balance.—Apply Mrs. G. W. Bellamy, Phone 272. Aug. 15, 3v.

WOMAN WANTED TO DO UPSTAIR work.—Apply Alberta Hotel. Aug. 20, 1w

WANTED—GIRL TO HELP WITH housework mornings. Apply Mrs. Nelson, North Red Deer. Phone 372. Aug. 20, 1w.

FOUND—BOY'S COAT ON BURN'T Lake Trail, near old Western Milling Co. place. Owner can have same by paying for advt. Aug. 20

WILL THE PERSON WHO TOOK the wrong parcel of boots on Saturday night from the Alberta Cafe, please return to Lowes' Grocery. Aug. 20, 1w*

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MISS EMILY SVEINSON, A.C.A.M. will resume her piano class on Sept. 1st, at the residence of Mrs. Goring, 131, 4th St. N.E. In the meantime phone R3709. July 13, 2w.

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Red Deer, Alberta
July 24th, 1924

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I note that this check was issued just nine days after my fire, and I wish to take this opportunity of thanking you and your Company for the prompt service I received.

Yours truly,
(Signed) J. H. FEDERER

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 23rd, 1924
2.30 p.m.

1 Eight-day Chime Clock; 3 full size Beds; complete; 1 single size Bed, complete; 2 Large Dressers; 2 Small Dressers; 1 Fumed Oak Dining Suite; 1 Writing Desk; 1 Winnipeg Couch; 1 Sewing Machine; Mahogany Gramophone, a very fine instrument, in good shape; 1 Refrigerator; 1 Kitchen Cabinet; 1 Canada Ideal Stove and Fittings; 1 four-seat Dining Table; 1 Kitchen Chair; 1 Kitchen Table; 1 Rocking Chair; 2 Arm Chairs; Kitchen Utensils; 8 dozen Sealers; Dishes; Garden Tools; 1 Lawn Mower and Shears; Quantity of Fire Wood.

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